## 10/599,276-Conf. #6428 PETITION FOR EXPRESS Application Number ABANDONMENT TO OBTAIN A REFUND September 25, 2006 Filing Date Takayoshi Moriyama Fax the petition directly to the First Named Inventor Pre-Grant Publication Division at (703) 305-8568 N/A Or Mail the petition to: Art Unit Mail Stop Express Abandonment Commissioner for Patents Not Yet Assigned **Examiner Name** P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 09450/0205428-US0 Attorney Docket Number Petition for Express Abandonment Under 37 CFR 1.138(d) to Obtain a Refund I hereby petition to expressly abandon the above-identified application to obtain a refund of any previously paid search fee and excess claims fee in the application. Please refund any search fee and excess claims fee paid in this application. X The Director is hereby authorized to credit the fee(s) to Deposit Account No. 04-0100 NOTE: The provisions of 37 CFR 1.138(d) only apply to applications filed under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) on or after December 8, 2004. A paper requesting express abandonment of an application is not effective unless and until an appropriate USPTO official recognizes and acts on the paper. See the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP), section 711.01. TO AVOID PUBLICATION, INCLUDE FORM PTO/SB/24A AND PETITION FEE WITH THIS FORM. I am the: applicant. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96) attorney or agent of record. Attorney or agent registration number is attorney opagen acting under 37 CFR 1.34, who is authorized under 37 CFR 1.138(b) pe application is expressly abandoned in favor of a continuing application. or agent registration number is JUNE 13, 2008 Signature Date Louis J. DelJuidice (212) 527-7700 Telephone Number Typed or printed name Note: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. forms are submitted.